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HARNEY VALLEY ITEMS.

SATURDAY, MARCH 15, 1902.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the republican county convention.

M. H. BRENTON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge, subject to the action of the republican county convention.

H. C. LEVENS.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Sheriff, subject to the action of the republican county convention.

THOS. ALLEN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the Democratic county convention.

FRANK S. RIEDER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Treasurer subject to the action of the republican county convention.

R. A. MILLER.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Assessor subject to the action of the republican county convention.

W. E. HUSTON.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the action of the republican county convention.

J. E. LOGGAN.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Clerk, subject to the action of the republican county convention.

R. T. HUGHES.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge, subject to the action of the democratic county convention.

W. C. BYRD.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of County Judge, subject to the action of the democratic county convention.

J. C. FOLEY.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the office of Assessor, subject to the action of the democratic county convention.

W. E. ALBERSON.

No brilliant success in business is on record where the value of newspaper advertising was not recognized and employed with profit.—Oskosh Times.

TIMBER CULTURE, FINAL PROOF—NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

U. S. Land Office, Burns, Oregon, March 12, 1902. Notice is hereby given that Porter Sylvester has filed notice of intention to make final proof before the Register and Receiver at his office in Burns, Oregon, on Saturday the 26th day of April, 1902, on timber culture application No. 1125, for the NW 1/4 of section No. 13, in Township No. 25, S., Range No. 23, E. W. M. He names as witnesses: James H. Oard, John Oard, Peter L. Oard and Noah Oard, all of Burns, Oregon. Geo. W. Hayes, Register.

Local and General.

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Register.

Republican primaries, March 20. Prices have been slashed at Jorgensen's.

Mrs. Jennie Devine is the guest of Mrs. C. E. Kenyon.

Frank Cummins was up from Diamond Wednesday.

Mrs. G. W. Clevenger has been on the sick list this week.

W. J. King and family were visiting in Burns last week.

I. L. Poujade and wife were over from Cow Creek yesterday.

Wm. Altnow, of Drewsey, was in town on business this week.

Prestley Smyth is up from Diamond today on land business.

"Selling at Cost," see Jorgensen and find out what this means.

"Harmony" said the "push" two years ago. It's different now.

Born, in Burns, March 12, 1902, to the wife of J. K. Jenkins, a son.

Scott Hayes was up from the Lawson country Monday on business.

Chas Voegtly returned last Saturday from a business trip to Portland.

J. P. Gearhart, of Calamity, was in Burns on business the first of the week.

J. H. Neal left Monday for his ranch in Happy Valley to look after his stock.

Stenographer W. J. Coleman and wife returned home last week from Malheur county.

It seems to be another case, where the only really honest(?) fellows are out.

Our file shows that the News has been persistently misrepresented.—News. He even misrepresented himself.

Referee Coleman is taking testimony this week in the case of Woldenberg vs Berg.

James Turner and wife and Joe Turner were in from their homes south of Harney Sunday.

County Treasurer Miller has a call in this issue for all registered Harney County warrants.

Martin Wood, of Trout Creek, was in Burns on some legal matters Tuesday and Wednesday.

Supt. John Gilcrest arrived in Burns Wednesday on a tour of inspection of the Company ranches.

Those that want in, are the ones crying fraud. Wherein if the outs were in every thing would be moving serenely. Conclusions.

John Savers and family, of Burns arrived Sunday on a visit to Mrs. Savers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Zeph, of this city.—Canyon City Eagle.

Chester Smith and Conn Wyatt arrived from Portland last Saturday where they have been taking a course at the Portland Business College.

We supported the "regular nominees" of two years ago, but haven't learned yet how one of them succeeded in being the "regular nominee," will the News please explain.

G. W. Clevenger is doing some very neat work in the cabinet making line. For such as commodes, bookcases, cupboards, tables, you should consult him and examine his work. His combination kitchen table is something that every woman needs.

One or two of the persons kicking against the recent action of the Central Committee in the election of delegates to the state convention, were the recipients of like favors a few years ago. But its different now, the other fellows have the ins.

Republican primaries March 20.

C. M. Kellogg, the stageman, was looking after interests here the first of the week.

Clubbing rates given with any paper or periodical published in the United States.

E. P. Sylvester was down from his home on Silvies River Tuesday making application for the purchase of some timber land.

Ed Keeney was over from Calamity this week, looking after some matters connected with his taking charge of the Burns and Diamond mail route of which he was the successful bidder.

The announcement of J. C. Foley for the nomination of County Judge on the democratic ticket has been received with much satisfaction among his many friends. The outcome seems to be very favorable for Mr. Foley's nomination.

The action of the Central Committee spoiled the little game of the "push" to bullyrag the candidates into line for their delegates to the state convention. Can this be the cause of all the kicking on the part of the chosen few?

The Stenger property east of Burns was sold at Referee sale last Saturday and was purchased by County Judge Sparrow for \$4500. There was a number of bidders for the property it being considered a very desirable place.

Williams & FitzGerald, attorneys, have moved their office to the front rooms over Voegtly's. They have just had book cases constructed to hold 900 volumes for their law library. These are the most commodious office rooms in Burns.

The whole situation--the Outs want in.

F. M. Jordan returned last week from Crane Creek and Happy Valley where he had been doing some surveying for Sylvester Smyth and others. Frank is one of the busiest men in the county, his services as surveyor being constantly in demand.

Sheriff Shelley and John G. Saxton returned from the Devine ranch Sunday. They brought no news other than was already generally known. Sheriff Shelley however was fortunate in securing a picture of the murderer and will have others struck off and sent to all the officers in the west. A reward will probably be offered.

It is very gratifying to the many friends of W. R. Rutherford of this place to hear that his side representing the State Normal School at Monmouth had won in their debate against the McMinnville College at Monmouth the 7th inst. The question under debate was the justification of the 15th amendment to the Constitution. Monmouth had the negative. Mr. Rutherford is a son of ex-County Judge and Mrs. Chas. P. Rutherford and is in his junior year.

We received a letter last Saturday from our old friend J. H. Seaward, of Cord, Malheur county in which he states that they have had a great deal of snow and rain in that section recently and that grass was looking fine. He recently bought Argo Harrison's band of sheep, consisting of 700 head breeding ewes and 400 yearlings, price \$3.25, all round. Tee sheep are to be delivered March 20. Lambing he says is not far off and hands are wanted to help.

The democrats can gain but little from the present little disturbance in the republican ranks. The majority of those fighting the recent action of the Central Committee are known as the local "push" and have never supported a straight party ticket, jumping promiscuously from one candidate to another as agreed upon among themselves previously, and no candidate not one of the number will ever get their vote no difference what his politics. Therefore we say the democrats can gain but little for the vote of the push will go at the June election the same as in past elections to men of their kind.

Ex-County Judge C. P. Rutherford on Leasing.

(To the Editor).—Among the many correspondents who are discussing the Lease Bill there is one among the many objectionable features that seems to have been overlooked, that is, there is no provision for roads.

At the present time there is no road leading from the northern to the southern part of the county. In going from Burns to the southern end of the county you must pass through enclosures larger than counties in which some of the Eastern members of Congress, who Mr. Moody says are so aggressive in their demands for some kind of a lease bill, live and the County Court that would try to fence a road through would find it serious business. With the lease lands these enclosures would be ten times as large and the homeseeker who finds a place inside the enclosure must have a road from some public highway to his place. This road would not be a public highway for it is only for the benefit of one individual, therefore, it must be a public easement whereby the petitioner must pay the expense of viewing, the assessment of damages, the cost of land and fences for lane. Then this law being of doubtful constitutionality would doubtless be contested in the courts. The constitution of this state forbids the taking of private property for private use and W. Lair Hill, the compiler of our laws, says in a footnote, I will not try to quote exact language, but the substance is that the legislature in trying to evade the constitution has made a distinction where there is no difference.

Then, again the man in search of a home or for mineral must go inside of these enclosures to examine or dig prospect holes to ascertain if their value is sufficient to locate and all this time he is a trespasser and liable to prosecution and as these same would be protectors of Uncle Sam's grass has had men arrested and imprisoned for passing on foot over their lands to their homes, no damage was claimed they merely stood on their right to keep men off the grass. Can we expect better treatment for the poor unfortunate who would attempt to find a home inside their fences, or the hardy prospector, the forerunner of all civilization and the development in the west.

Let some one introduce a bill that provides for public highways through the land; that allows all men to go upon said lands to look for homes, or mineral, or stock that may have strayed away and become enclosed; a bill that really does preserve the homestead and mineral rights, and see how quick their agitation for the preserving of Uncle Sam's grass will be dropped.

Chas. P. Rutherford.

Diamond Pick-Ups.

Diamond, March 12, 1902.

William Wooley was circulating among us today.

James Crawford arrived in Diamond on Friday's stage from Burns where he has spent the winter in the employ of Caldwell & Brenton.

Tebo Ortego has spent the past week in Diamond.

Mrs. William Wooley and Mrs. George Smyth were visitors yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tice Shall are visiting friends in Diamond today.

A social dance was given at James Paul's on the 7th. We do not know was the trouble, but some of the boys look very blue and are wearing mourning since the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Rye Smyth, of Happy Valley, are in Diamond today.

J. M. McKissick is back in Diamond after a few days absence.

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You will require a great many goods between now and Wool selling time. We would be pleased to handle your business. Any part of your trade sent us will be appreciated and properly handled.

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Call for Republican Primaries and Convention.

Burns, Mar. 1st.—The republican county central committee met in response to call of Chairman Chas. Newell, and the meeting was called to order by the chairman at 10:30 A. M. Secretary Jos Robertson being absent, J. H. Neal was appointed secretary pro tem.

Chair appointed committee on credentials, as follows: Ira Stubblefield, A. W. Hulbert and Jos. Hill (committeeman appointed by Chairman for Island precinct, in place of L. C. Grout, removed from county.)

Committee on credentials reported eleven members of the committee, present in person and by proxy, as follows: Burns—Chas Newell; Happy Valley—Jas. Paul, by Ira Stubblefield, proxy; Lake—Chas. Haines, by Fred Haines, proxy; Drewsey—Jos. Robertson, by A. W. Gowan, proxy; Warm Springs—A. W. Hulbert; Saddle Butte—C. T. Miller, by J. L. Sitz, proxy; Silvies—A. Wintermeier, by Chas. Newell, proxy; Poison Creek—Ira Stubblefield; Pine Creek—L. C. Bradfield, by Fred Haines, proxy; Diamond—M. Horton, by J. H. Neal, proxy; Island—Jos. Hill, and all entitled to seats as per roll, Report accepted.

Committee on order of business, appointed, by Chair, as follows: Fred Haines, J. L. Sitz and A. W. Gowan.

Majority report that county convention be held Apr. 12th, 1902, and primaries Mar. 22d, 1902 carried.

A. W. Gowan, of minority report withdrew from meeting, with the warning that "the election laws of Oregon require that acceptance of nominations, by all county candidates (nominees,) shall be filed at least 60 days before the date of the general elections within the State."

On motion, apportionment of delegates to county convention, was as follows: One delegate at large, and one delegate for each ten votes, or major fraction thereof, cast for W. J. Furnish as presidential elector, in 1900, delegates being apportioned as follows:

Alvord, 1; Burns, 14; Crane, 2; Catlow, 1; Curry, 1; Diamond, 2; Drewsey, 4; Harney, 5; Happy, 2; Island, 3; Lake, 3; Poison Creek, 2; Pine Creek, 1; Pueblo, 1; Silvies, 2; Saddle Butte, 4; Wild Horse, 3; Warm Springs, 2.

Motion carried, that one set of delegates be elected to serve at both State and Congressional conventions, and for delegates, Fred Haines, J. L. Sitz and J. H. Neal were duly nominated and unanimously elected.

Motion carried that delegates to congressional convention be requested to vote for Hon. M. A. Moody for Congress.

Motion carried that committee recommend to county convention that no proxy be voted by any one not a resident and voter in precinct

where such proxy originates.

Motion to reconsider action on dates of county convention and county primaries carried.

Motion carried to make further investigation of State election laws. Investigation made.

Motion to change date of county primaries from March 22nd, to Mar. 26th. Carried.

Meeting adjourned.

CHAS. NEWELL,
Chairman.
J. H. NEAL,
Acting Secretary.

The real bad man often gets the worst of it through making his plans known in advance. An instance occurred in Northern Montana the other day when a desperado left a saloon with the remark that when he came back he would come shootin'. In due course of time the would-be shooter returned, but when he came instead of being accompanied by the shootin' it met him at the door. In addition to the four bullets which the bartender emptied from a rifle into his stomach, other kind friends perforated his back with three more. The inquest developed the fact that he was thoroughly and completely dead, no fault being charged against the gunners who anticipated his threatened warlike demonstration.

Call for County Warrants.

Notice is hereby given that there are funds in the county treasury for the redemption of all registered Harney County warrants drawn on the General, Road and Building Funds. Interest on the same will cease from this date, March 15, 1902.

R. A. MILLER,
Treasurer, Harney Co., Oregon.

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